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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:

Brian Modrzejewski, et al.

Serial No.: 10/040,955

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For: AN APPARATUS AND A METHOD
FOR ADJUSTING FLUID
MOVEMENT IN A VARIABLE
DISPLACEMENT PUMP

Examiner: Unknown

Group Art Unit No.: 3618

INFORMATION DISCLOSURE STATEMENT

Commissioner for Patents
Washington, D.C. 20231

Dear Sir:

In compliance with the duty of disclosure under 37 C.F.R. § 1.56, it is respectfully requested that this Information Disclosure Statement be entered and the documents listed below and on the attached Form PTO-1449 be considered by the Examiner and made of record. Copies of the listed documents required by 37 C.F.R. § 1.98(a)(2) are enclosed for the convenience of the Examiner.

The references now cited are the following:

No.	Date	Name
4,522,565	June 11, 1985	Stockton
4,658,584	April 21, 1987	Suzuki, et al.
4,714,413	December 22, 1987	Duffy
5,028,214	July 2, 1991	Masuda
5,513,960	May 7, 1996	Uemoto
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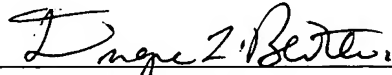
In accordance with 37 C.F.R. § 1.97(g),(h), this Information Disclosure Statement is not to be construed as a representation that a search has been made and is not to be construed to be an admission that the information cited is, or is considered to be, material to patentability as defined in 37 C.F.R. § 1.56(b).

This Information Disclosure Statement is being filed prior to the receipt of the first Official Action reflecting an examination on the merits. Hence, Applicants believe this Information Disclosure Statement to be timely filed in accordance with 37 C.F.R. § 1.97.

No fees are believed to be due in connection with filing of this Information Disclosure Statement, however, should any fees under 37 C.F.R. §§1.16 to 1.21 be deemed necessary for any reason relating to these materials, the Commissioner is here authorized to deduct said fees from Visteon Deposit Account No. 06-1500. A duplicate copy of this document is enclosed.

Applicant(s) respectfully request that the listed documents be made of record in the present case.

Respectfully submitted,



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